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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on August 22, 2006, attached is an English Abstract of EP 0668216 that was listed on the form PTO/SB/08a. For your convenience, attached is a copy of our initial filing on August 22, 2006.

Also attached is another copy of the Information Disclosure Statement filed on February 2, 2007 and PTO/SB/08a along with the Written Opinion. The original submission failed to list the date of the Written Opinion.

The Examiner is requested to initial the attached form PTO/SB/08a and return a copy of the initialed document to the undersigned as an indication that the references have been considered and made of record.

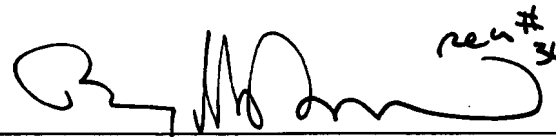
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140.

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As suggested by 37 C.F.R. 1.97, the undersigned attorney brings to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the attached Translation of the Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority. All of the references cited in this document have already been cited in our earlier Information Disclosure Statement filed on August 22, 2006. The attached form PTO/SB/08a is attached listing only the Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority. This is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that no better prior art exists, or that a reference is relevant merely because cited.

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